
Program Memorandum Intermediaries

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**SUBJECT: Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Transaction
835v4010 Completion Update**

This Program Memorandum (PM) instructs the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) and all intermediaries that use FISS to implement Section II of transmittal AB-02-067 (Change Request 1959). Section II provides guidance for generation of X12 835 version 4010 transaction if the claim is out of balance, and performance of back end validation.

FISS and its users were exempt from Section II of transmittal AB-02-067 when it was released on May 2, 2002. This PM instructs FISS and its users to implement Section II, as applicable to intermediaries, by January 1, 2003. You can download a copy of AB-02-067 from our web site:

http://www.hcfa.gov/pubforms/transmit/memos/comm_date_dsc.htm

The *effective date* for this PM is January 1, 2003 – applicable to only FISS and FISS users.

The *implementation date* for this PM is January 1, 2003 – applicable to only FISS and FISS users.

This PM may be discarded after January 1, 2004.

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